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oute: 29 Jun 54

TO : DIRECTOR

FROM LINCOLN

ACTION: ISH (PBS) (1-3)

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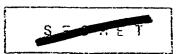
TO: DIR

CITE: SLINC

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RE: DIR 06896 (OUT 5311L)

- 1. CONSIDER PROCEEDING WITH PRESENT PLAN AS VERY SOUND INVESTMENT. LING IS NOT OPTIMISTIC OVER FORTHCOMING PEACE TALKS, HAS NO
 CONFIDENCE IN SINCERITY OF ENEWY JUNTA AND IS EVER MINDFULL THAT
 2,000 TONS OF ARMS REPRESENTS SERIOUS SUPPLY OF ARMS IN ENEMY HANDS,
 WHEREAS SUCCESSFUL SEIZURE OF BOND COULD PROVIDE UNLIMITED SUPPLY
 CHANNEL FOR FRIENDLIES.
- 2. CIRCUMSTANCES PERMITTING LINC WILL SET BACK BETA H-HOUR
 TO 03 21,00 TO ENSURE ARRIVAL OF VESSEL B. WHICH WOULD SERVE AS
 FLOATING ARTY AND COMMO CENTER. VESSEL A UNDER ABOVE SCHEDULE
 NEED NOT ARRIVE ON TARGET UNTIL 01, 1200.
- 3. HQS CONCEPT OF TACTICAL EMPLOYMENT VESSEL B COINCIDES EXACTLY WITH LINCOLN'S AND PLANS WILL BE FIRMED ACCORDINGLY.
- 4. PREPARING SIGNAL PLAN FOR BOTH VESSELS WORKING
 THEM FROM LING UNTIL ATTACK PHASE THENCE TO SHERWOOD AND ADVANCED
 FIELD COMMAND POST.



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5. LINC RECOGNIZES THE EFFORT BEING DEVOTED TO THIS UNDERGITATING AND IS VERY APPRECIATIVE OF HQS INITIATIVE IN FOLLOWING THROUGH WITH ALL THE PROBLEMS INVOLVED. THE CONCEPT OF TWO VESSELS PARTICULARLY THE B VESSEL IS CONSIDERED EXCELLENT.

END OF MESSAGE